different components of ILS is in progress. It is expected that the work will be com pleted in about 3 months. The schemes of conversion of Medium Intensity Run way lights (MIRL) into High Intensity *y* Ligtvs (H1R.L) and 2-Bar AVA-SIS into 3-Bar AVASIS have been sanc tioned. These are expected to be com pleted in about a year afte, commence-t! work Besides, outers have plaeed for procurement of Non DirectionaI Beacon (NDB) and Distance Measuring Equipment (DME) to replace the existing ones; these are expected to be instilled and commissioned in about 12 months.

Assault on the teachers of Kendriya Vid-yalaya Barrackpore

OR. R. K. PODDAR: Will the er of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVE-MENT be pleased to state:

(a.) whether it is a fact that some tea-of Kendriya Vidyalaya, AFS Bar-ire had been physically assaulted;

if so what are the details of the incident; and

tat action has been taken in this

TH I- MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) to (c) As reported by Assistant Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, Calcutta Region there was a scuffle between two .groups of the teachers of Kendriya Vid-yalaya FS Barrackpore on 23-4-1988 after school hours. A preliminary enquiry into the aforesaid incident was conducted by the officers of Kendriya Vidyalaya han. Calcutta which revealed that there are two groups in the Vidyalaya and differences on certain issues resulted intathe said scuffle. Both the parties have lodged F.T.Rs, in the local police

Selection committees of KendriyaVidyala-ya Sangathan

701. SHRI YALLA SESI BHUSHANA RAO- Will the Minister of HUMAN RE-SOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 22 given in(he Rajya Sabha on the 2nd November, 1988 and state:

(a) what are the details of dates of mee ting of all earlier Selection Committees for selecting teachers of different categorise for Keudgriya Vidyalaya, Moscow as also the dates when panels of selected candidates were finalised;

(b) what are the dates when these selected teachers were offered posting;

(c) whether it is a fact that there has been an inordinate delay in finali-satian of the proceeding of selection committees for post of PGT(History) in Kendriya Vidyalaya, Moscow; and

(d) if so. what are the reasoas there for?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI); (a) and (b) A statement is attached. *[See* Appendix CXLVI1I, Annexure No. 34]

(c) and (d) There was somedelay in finalising the proceedings of selection Committee for PGT(History) due to pro-cedural requirements.

Department promotion of Deputy Commissioners in Keni'riya Vidyalaya Sangathan

702. SHRI RAM AWADHESH SINGH: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased torefer to answe,- to Unstarred Question 21 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 2nd November, 1988 and state what are the reasons for not holding any Departmental Promotion Committee in 1986-87 to consider promotions of departmental candidates to the vacant promotional posts of Deputy Commissioners inKendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(SHRI L. P. SHAHI): No promotional post of Deputy Commissioner was vacant in Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan during 1986-87.

Inter and Intra-regEonal transfers in Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan

703. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of teachers who applied for inter and intra-regional transfers in Kendriya Vidyalavas liiiring the period January to May 19S8 and there after under (he category Couple cases;

(b) what are the names of those, whose requests have since been acceded to; and

(c) what are the reasons for not transferring many teachers in each of the categories?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) to (c) Data regarding inter-regional transfer requests is tabulated in the Sangathan office on the basis of the station(s) asked for and not according to existing place of teachers' posting of transfer categories. 2120 applications for inter-regional transfers were received and 458 such transfers were effected. The requests of spouses are con-sidered according to the priorities laid down in the transfer guidelines and transfers are made to the extent possible. While the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan tries to accommodate as many requests for transfers as possible, it has also to ensure stability in teaching arrangements in .schools. Therefore, it is not always possible to accede to all requests for transfers.

Action against the principals of Kendriya VMyalayas

704. SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 4139 given in he Rajya Sabha on the 31st August. 1988 and state:

(a) whether Principals of Kendriya Vidyalaya Jalandhar Cantt and Kendriya Vidyalaya Mathura Cantt have been founti to be involved in cases of admis sions on fake transfer Certificates:

(b) if so, what action has been initiated against them; and

(c) what are the findings of CBI in regard to Principal, Kendriya Vidyalaya, Bharatpur and Yoga Teacher of Kendriya Vidyalaya Number 1. Jaipur?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) to (c) In the case referrd to in reply to Question No. 4139 answered in Rajya Sabha on 31-8-1988, findings of the CBI are awail ed.

Increase in exports by setting up of Container Corporation of India, Ltd

705. SHRI HARVENDRA STNOH HANSPAL: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 1 given in the Rajya Sahha on 2nd November, 1988 and state:

(a) whether the Container Corpora'ion of India Ltd. set up by Government on 10th March, 1988. has started function ing; and

(b) to what estent to growth or exports has been boosted by setting up of this Corporation?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD), (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) It will take some time for the Container Corporation to set up Inland Containe,- Depots and undertake field operation. However, during the period April to September 1988, the Railways despatched 7092 containers (Twenty-foo*-equrva-lent units/TEUs) from the seven Inland Container Depols with export cargo as against 6391 containers during the corres-: ponding period of last year indicating a growth of 11 per cent.